

THE CALL

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TOWN COLLECTIONS SHOW IMPROVEMENT OVER LAST YEAR

The collections of the more prominent sources of revenue for the town is much ahead of last year as the following will show: Taxes are up \$2,297.28; Community hall \$285; water consumers \$464.44.

Expenditures have been kept well within the estimates. Total estimates for all departments amounted to \$19,717.89 and the amount expended being \$15,105.97, leaving a saving of \$1,556.62.

An estimate of the power, light and telephone charges and wages for December is included in the above figures. There will also be some for the Community hall, bill for which is not included. There will also be some relief for December which was not taken into consideration.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS CRAIGANTLER AND DISTRICT

The number of pupils in Craigantler school has been reduced to five. Mrs. Mrs. Buckley, leaving left for Olds taking 45 per cent of the pupils with them.

Daniel Moor of Burnside Farm was a visitor at the Sheets farm last week. We wonder what the attraction is.

The school Christmas concert and dance will be held at the Craigantler school on December 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Findahl paid a flying visit to Calgary lately. Mr. Findahl said the roads were very slippery.

Rodger Conant is preparing to leave for the States where he has a good position awaiting him, heading sheep.

Si Sheets is preparing to move to the States about Christmas time. He has a job on an experimental branch of research on bad weeds.

Wm. Smith is leaving for Quebec soon all the old standbys will be gone.

Paul Green arrived from British Columbia and is visiting his brother Raymond and Verne. Paul is looking fine.

Mr. and Mrs. George Collins are at present north west of Olds, visiting their son Carl and daughter-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Buckley are quite busy these days getting their moving done. They are taking advantage of the fine weather.

The meeting of delegates at Alton school was well attended. There were delegates from nine schools forming division three. Mr. Frame, school inspector was in charge. Mr. Colpoys of Hamner Hill was elected chairman. Quite a number of questions were asked and answered by Mr. Frame. There were three nominations for trustee, namely Mr. Colpoys of Hamner Hill; Mr. J. A. McArthur, Livingstone; and George Bell of Shamrock. An election will be held at a future date.

COMING EVENTS

Dec. 23—Annual Xmas entertainment will be held in Meadowbrook hall.

LEGION SPONSORS RADIO PROGRAM

The Alberta Command of the Canadian Legion has arranged series of broadcasts on various highlights of the Canadian army and the British navy. The first of this series will be on the air next Friday, December 9th.

The first series will deal with a very romantic and fascinating expedition undertaken in 1918 in which a select number of Canadians were withdrawn from their battalions on the Western Front and were sent to Persia on a secret mission. The leader of this secret force was General L. C. Dufferin, who in his youth, was immortalized by Rudyard Kipling as the "Stalky" of Kipling's series "Stalky and Company". It is the intention to make those stories as appealing as possible for the young.

CURLING CLUB ORGANIZE FOR THIS SEASON

A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of curlers was held at the rink when preparations were made to begin the season's activities. A resolution that the club affiliate with the Calgary R.C.C. was carried unanimously. A lot of other details were attended to, officers elected and committees appointed.

The following officers were elected: President, Dan MacDonald; vice-president, P. Denahay; secretary, H. B. Myers; treasurer, D. J. Boyle; chaplain, Rev. J. Wilkinson; Executive: W. Reid, E. Woods, E. J. Boller and J. Webb.

Crew committee: Wm. Reid, committee: D. McLeod, E. Woods, W. Reid and D. McDonald.

The club requests that all interested in curling get in touch with the membership committee.

FRAMMATES TO WHET THE APPETITE

Canadian Fish and Pinnapple Delicacies Combination

Plan an unusual main dish for dinner tomorrow by combining Canadian fish (whitefish, haddock, or salmon) with pinnapple cubes or tidbits. It's a dish that will linger in memory and for which you will be asked again and again. Men, particularly, find the combination of flavors pleasing and unusual.

Here's the way to do it: Half cup pinnapple, cubed or tidbits; 2 cups cooked, flaked fish (whitefish, haddock, or salmon); 3 tablespoons cream or top milk; salt and pepper; 1 beaten egg; dash paprika; 1 cup mashed potatoes; 2 tablespoons milk; grated cheese.

Put in a greased casserole with the drained pinnapple. Mix the fish with the cream or top milk, season, add to casserole. Mix potatoes with the egg, milk and paprika and pile on the fish. Bake in moderate oven for 20 minutes. Top with grated Canadian cheese, return to oven and brown. Serve with this Canadian fish and pinnapple a vegetable that will provide contrast in color and texture. Baked potato, cut in half, dotted with butter and sprinkled with cinnamon sugar, is a happy combination, or green vegetable, any season. The dessert should be light and tart, a puffy lemon meringue or a cranberry-orange pie would be a fitting finish to the meal ensemble.

The following should be of interest to Gleichien people since Harold Robison was a former resident here. The Washington Chapter of Sigma Xi, American Scientific Research Honorary Association announces the election of Harold Robison as one of the three new members for 1938. Harold did his preparatory work at Gleichien high school and obtained the B.Sc. and M.Sc. in chemistry at the University of Washington at Seattle. He holds a C.A. teaching fellowship in the chemical department and is continuing his work for a Ph.D. degree under Dr. W. Dehn, distinguished organic chemist.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Evening and Service at 7:30 p.m. Rev. G. W. Lang, B.A. (Incumbent).

or generation, and in this connection prizes will be offered to sons and daughters of members of the Canadian Legion who are in grades 9, 10 and 11. There will be two prizes for this competition. The essay should be handed into the nearest branch secretary, who will affix the official Legion stamp and forward them to the Canadian Legion office of the Legion in Calgary. The first of this series will be heard over radio station CFCN on Monday evening, starting at 10:15. succeeding broadcasts will follow every two weeks at the same time.

U.F.W.A. ELECT OFFICERS FOR ENSUING YEAR

The annual meeting of the U.F.W.A. was held last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. McLeay. The meeting was opened with a song followed by the roll call which was answered by "Friends I would like to remember." There were thirteen members and two visitors present. Correspondence was dealt with by Acting President Mrs. H. Burne. Mrs. A. Wilson was appointed by the meeting to act as a delegate to the annual convention to be held in Calgary. It was decided to leave to drawing for the quilt until a later date. The election of officers resulted as follows:

Mrs. A. Wilson, president. Miss Goodwin, vice-president. Mrs. McLeay, secretary-treasurer. Directors: Mrs. H. Burne, Mrs. H. Burne, Mrs. Oliver, Mrs. Quenell, Mrs. McKeever.

Committee: Mrs. J. W. Hudson and Mrs. B. Stott.

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THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. G. L. Strange, Director of "Crop Testing Plan"

"I guess I won't buy any Thatcher, Jensen or Apex just yet," said a farmer friend the other day. "I'll wait and get some of these new varieties 978 and 1097. I hear they will be better."

Many farmers in rural areas are thinking this way.

The government has announced that two new rust-resistant varieties No. 978 and No. 1097—have been produced by the Rust Research Laboratory, Winnipeg, are now being tested in Great Britain for milling and baking quality.

No doubt if either or both of these should prove superior to the existing rust resistant sorts then they will be named, licensed for sale and distributed to farmers.

Under the circumstances I advised my friend to secure as early as possible sufficient of the rust-resistant varieties that are now available, that is, Thatcher, Jensen or Apex, and to apply to the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa for a small quantity of the new varieties; then to sow the new variety either 978 or 1097, next spring on a small piece of nice clean straw mulch.

Following factors have tended to raise prices: Rains still needed in India. China purchasing American wheat. Floating corn stocks only about the amount of year ago. Insufficient moisture with prospects below average in Poland, Switzerland, Italy and wheat. Frost damage in Argentina. Subnormal German area harvest.

Following factors have tended to lower prices: Argentine crop prospects still highly satisfactory. Germany said to have one of the greatest grain harvests in history. Winter wheat acreage increased or maintained in the Balkans. British buyers moving to American wheat. Large arrivals of Balkan corn at shipping points.

GIMCHEN UNITED CHURCH

Rev. J. N. Williams, Minister. 11 a.m. Church School. Mrs. H. Birch, choir-leader. Miss Marjorie Blech, pianist.

7:30 p.m. evening worship. Subject of sermon: "Road Signs." The way we are facing has everything to do with our destination.

WINDOW SHOPPING

Store windows, now suggesting Christmas, are more than a gentle hint to make early purchases for the

GUNNERS WILL HAVE TEAM THIS SEASON

Gleichen is going to be in the hockey limelight again this winter as a hockey team is almost a certainty. This team is not expected to be as good a team as it has been in the past, but nevertheless it will have a team and the fans will be able to see a few exhibition games at least.

Some players who had signified their intention of retiring have let it be known that they will postpone their retirement for a year, feeling the town should be kept on the hockey map. A couple of other players who have been in retirement for some years are going to be back, namely Cy McKay and Jack Roberts. Let there be doubt about these three players who are coming back with confidence as they demonstrate when in practice plays last winter.

Here is the lineup for this winter: Jack Roberts, goal; Alf Brown, T. Brown and Maynard, defence; Cam and Bob Brown, Cy McKay, Kinsey Clifford, Wolf Log, forwards. It is said that Arrowood will have no team this winter. If this is so some of their players will be given every opportunity to work in the local team. It is also said that there are a couple of Arrowood lads who have plenty of speed and will likely make good.

The fans are jubilant over the prospect of having a team that will be able to give plenty of fun in this fast winter sport. And so whether we lose or not the supporters will be able to let off plenty of steam. Here's hoping we will be the best team in the county. We almost forgot! This season's gunners will be the best for a moment to take on the Calgary Stampede anytime and give them a few pointers in the game.

day of gifts, still three weeks distant. That's the urge in that direction may be, store windows. Christmas dressed, are an appeal in themselves. "Window shopping," always an alluring occupation, never is quite as delightful as it is in the days when there is an atmosphere of expectancy, the spirit of cheeriness and the glow of anticipation, when someone work their marvels at this season of the year. No matter how matter-of-fact we may be 11 months of the year we become more or less sentimental with the approach of December, and the gay windows, the rich windows, even the plainly dressed windows, brave or sedate in their Christmas attire, singing to us a siren's lyric that is a challenge to pass them unheeded.

And who gets the most fun from the window shopping, the juveniles or the elders? "Silly question!" the more mature, of course. Even those windows dressed especially to appeal to the children are so crowded with adults at times that a youngster has little chance of seeing what is there. In these, of course, are the more glamorous-glorying in their shame. Others who envy them their shamelessness pick up a youngster some place and push to the front, thinking, like men who have a child to be seen, he wants to see himself, that he has acquired merit. What foolishness! Few would mind if a child were to see if one such would just acknowledge to himself that he hungers to see the window show and to justify himself with the reflection that there will be plenty of time for them to grow up. Yes, we elders have not too many Christmas fetes ahead of us, so we hasten to take advantage of what opportunities we have.

What is the impulse, motive? Memory, the treasury of all that is hallowed and dear and cherished. We will see Alice again—Alice! We wonderland. If the display is nothing but leather goods, Alice will be there amidst the wares and her message will be of "leaves and ships and sailing wares, of cabbages and kings." Kings of fairland and nowhereland and everywhere. Kings of the wintry day and glowing coals and the bulging stockings on the mantel. Kings among whom you were a monarch when you gazed through the panes of another window on a Christmas morning and saw in the frosted snow more good than any living king

Seasons' Greetings

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Transient Youth Problem Again

In a recent issue of this column attention was drawn to the plight of that sizeable army of young men wandering up and down the country in vain search for work and, perhaps, in a minority of cases, hunting for relief when the situation was referred to as a national disgrace, coupled with the suggestion that some provision should be made to give them work and wages.

It was pointed out that there is plenty of work that could be done with profit to the nation and the taxpayers and, in effect, that all that was needed was to connect these transient jobless men with this work.

Since that time these suggestions have found confirmation in an article in the November 12 issue of *Toronto Saturday Night* written by A. J. Elliott, who not only points out the necessity of providing work for these wanderers, instead of allowing them to be made a shuttlecock between the municipalities and the senior governments, but outlines in some detail the work which they might well be put and the methods that should be adopted in carrying out the plan.

Since Mr. Elliott is the Superintendent of the Toronto Men's Hostel and has had much experience in social work in the United States and Canada his suggestions are not only interesting but carry with them the weight of experience and authority.

Mr. Elliott adopts the viewpoint that the problem instead of being insoluble has a relatively simple answer but if it is to be successful "our theory must be changed from the opinion that the federal government is attempting to control a national liability to the conviction that we are actively engaged in conserving a national asset."

In making this statement it would appear that Mr. Elliott is reaching down to the roots of the problem, for, if these men were regarded as a national asset it would be to conserve them, it would not be very long before the demand that something be done to give them their rightful place in the economic life of the country, or at least a chance for it, would be sufficiently vociferous to bring forth results.

For Unskilled Labor

As was stated before in this column there is plenty of work that can be done with advantage and Mr. Elliott not only confirms this statement in a general way but points out specifically some of the projects that might well be undertaken when he says:

"Grandiose schemes such as the construction of huge public buildings or super-highways demand large numbers of skilled artisans and trained engineers. The country has not a sufficient number of these to fulfil its normal requirements; and the result is merely to put a premium on the services of such workers."

"But the little job, such as changing level crossings to grade crossings, providing passable country roads, eliminating the hazards of pedestrians on highways by constructing footpaths, these, as well as such jobs as reforestation for instance, require a minimum of skilled workmen and a maximum of laborers. From all of them the general public would derive as much benefit as from the big run as the unemployed transients who would be directly assisted thereby."

Mr. Elliott suggests that the men be housed in comfortable and attractive camps, avoiding the mistakes of "our last terrible camp experiment," adding the important warning that the men should not be kept in such camps too long but that every effort be made to provide them with a definite program of education and as soon as possible graduate them into permanent work through the employment bureaus scattered all over the Dominion. In other words, Mr. Elliott asks for a definitely co-ordinated program of temporary work, education and permanent employment and opportunity for re-establishment as soon as such may be available.

Effect On Morale

While all of this is sane and sound, not the least interesting feature of Mr. Elliott's plan is his recommendation as to remuneration. Pointing out that these men who have lost their municipal rights are offering to families and relatives who cannot afford to keep them, Mr. Elliott urges that they be paid, while engaged in such public projects, a minimum wage of thirty dollars a month and that, of which five dollars is to be retained by the men and the balance forwarded to the nearest kin.

Apart altogether from the economic effect of partially or wholly lifting the relief burden from the taxpayers on the family's account such disposition of a substantial percentage of the wages would have a marked effect on the family's morale "if their income was the earned wages of one of their number, instead of relief."

"As well as the effect of conserve its manpower and lighten the burden of relief that now falls so onerously on municipal taxpayers, not to mention the restoration of morale and self-respect to immemorially bordering and relief-seeking families the nation has still another opportunity to benefit from the policy of work-for-wages," says Mr. Elliott, "and that is the opportunity to provide education facilities to a group of its citizens who would benefit from such a program and who would eagerly avail themselves of it."

Such a program as that outlined by Mr. Elliott will strike a responsive chord in a good many breasts and will be approved not only by taxpayers but parents and relatives who have seen their young men fare forth in the vain hope of conquering the unemployment ogre and who are now being battered about from pillar to post, with hope dwindling the longer this problem remains ineffectively tackled.

A Strange Law Suit

Refused in an attempt to check a turkulent in a right action, a Parisian lawyer sued the French Government in 1907 and won after a 20-year court fight at a cost of 200,000 francs to the Government.

On occasion, rabbits and badgers will share the same burrow although they use different entrances.

This Cat Was Wise

Other cats in the neighborhood might spend their nights in no end of a cat-and-mouse game, but Talitha, the large gray Matinee belonging to Mrs. G. H. Jones, of Staten Island, New York, said they Talitha lived 26 years and seven months, E. M. Ketter, veterinarian, said as the cat was being buried in the garden of her home.

Corn furnishes man with more than 100 commercial products.

Christmas trees are most commonly used for telephone poles. 2282

Troubles Increasing

Man Without Country Is Now Man Without A Ship

John Dolanek, "the man with out a country," is also a man with out a ship.

For the United States President Roosevelt refused for Europe without him, refusing to recognize a deportation order issued by the U.S. department of labor.

Dolanek rode 17,500 miles on the ship's lines last year as an uninvited guest. His officials refused to accept him for deportation on the grounds he was physically impossible to land in another country.

Dolanek was born in Austrian territory later ceded to Romania. Immigration officials said he had entered both Canada and the United States illegally, gone to Spain as a volunteer with the government forces, and later stayed away again for the United States.

Courts have tried vainly to straighten out the tangle of his national status. Great Britain, France, Germany, Roumania—among other countries—have refused him entry.

Alberta Oil Possibilities

Should Be In Increasing Demand By British Empire

Alberta oil should be in increased demand by the British Empire because of its high gasoline content.

R. A. Brown, Jr., of Calgary, told the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy conference of the Turner Valley, producing more than the available market requires, leads to an embargo on oil imports from the United States and expansion of the domestic market through lower freight rates for increased share of the British market overseas, he said.

Brown said the British Empire now uses only about five per cent. of its crude oil requirements. He discounted the feasibility of a pipeline west to the Pacific seaboard. Brown expressed belief that as soon as potential production justified a large enough flow of oil, need of downward adjustment of railway freight rates would follow.

Lincoln Was Inventor

Application For Patent For Pontoon Found Among Old Papers

New York has just found an old safe dating back to the middle of the last century. Experts opened it with care, and found inside a number of models and papers. Some of the papers were signed "A. Lincoln, Springfield, Illinois." Investigation revealed that they had been written by the great President Abraham Lincoln himself, and were, in fact, proof of the statement's leisure time hobby of invention. The contents of the safe was an application by Lincoln to patent a pontoon, which, filled with compressed air, would lift vessels "over bars or through shallow water without discharging their cargo."

Milk And Lemonade

Preferred By British Soldiers In India To Liqueur

Rudyard Kipling notwithstanding, the modern British soldier in India prefers milk and lemonade to strong stuff. Authorities attribute a decrease in sunstroke and heat exhaustion to this preference, but the number of hospital admissions is still high. Of the 50,000 British troops in India, 30,000 annually are admitted to hospital, twice the ratio for troops serving at home. For the 150,000 native soldiers the rate is 300 per 1,000.

Thinking Is Power

Knowledge No Good Without It States Sir Frederick Banting

Sir Frederick Banting, co-discoverer of insulin, the Professor of Medical Research at the University of Toronto, told students of Dalhousie University Medical School in Halifax: "Knowledge alone is not power," he said, "it is thinking that is power. There is a danger of too little thought and too much work. The idea is the most valuable thing in research. Ideas come only to the man who knows himself why, and answers the question for himself."

Widows in the Bank Bank tribes of New Guinea carry the skulls of their departed husbands about with them for the rest of their lives.

According to estimates, some 5,000,000 American school children are handicapped by defective hearing.

FOR COUGHS
Mathieu's
Syrup

Under The Evening Lamp

People Used To Study At Home During The Winter

The Port Arthur News-Chronicle says the long winter evening was once a time when people would sit down in their living rooms, and enter on prolonged courses of study. They drew out big learned books from some library or book club, and were determined that the winter should not pass without some added culture. Or they borrowed some of the good old-fashioned 1,000-page novels, and set themselves down to prolonged enjoyment of the fascinating but wordy old tales.

Today people are no longer taken to settle down around the fire-side. Modern life keeps us going so fast that we have forgotten how to say "whoa." If there isn't something to do almost every night, the people say they can't stand the boredom.

But the long winter evening under the living room lamp provided a quiet mind for next day's work, and people learned many things they needed to know.

Tribute To Baling Wire

Seems To Be Very Useful In Cases Of Emergency

It's a pity that more attention has not been given to the significance of baling wire. Best seen when it is written about lesser subjects. Without baling wire, how could the farmer make possible a piece of meat-and-balling wire. Nor is the farmer the only one to profit by this source of material.

Automobiles, printing presses, coffee grinders, sewing machines and who knows what else are among the things very day just about made possible by a piece of meat-and-balling wire. Some men even hold up their pants with the stuff—Crane, Missouri, Chronicle.

Plays For Science

Violinists Tests Instruments To Determine Tonal Effects

The smallest audience in his career listened to a two-hour violin concert by Jascha Heifetz in the physics department laboratory at Harvard University. Before Professor Frederick Saunders and one assistant, the renowned violinist played for the sake of science. By analysis and recording of sound waves, Prof. Saunders hopes to determine whether new, relatively inexpensive instruments when played by a master, will give the same tone as the priceless violins made by the great of centuries ago.

SELECTED RECIPES

CARAMEL CAKE

1 cup sugar
1/2 cup Crown Brand Corn Syrup
1/2 cup boiling water
1 egg, unbeaten
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 eggs
3 cups pastry flour
2 1/2 cups baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt

Method: Melt 1 cup sugar in iron frying pan over low heat. When liquid, add Crown Brand Corn Syrup; stir well. Boil for 5 minutes, adding boiling water; stir until dissolved. Remove from heat, add 1 egg, unbeaten, 1/2 cup sugar, vanilla and well-beaten egg yolks. Beat well, and add dry ingredients alternately with caramel syrup. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into pan 8" x 8" which has been lined with waxed paper and oiled with Moline. Bake in moderate oven. While still slightly warm pour over it Caramel Icing.

CHERRY COGNAC STUFFED PEEDING

1 1/2 cups juice from canned red cherries
2 tablespoons Benson's or Canada Corn Starch
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup cherry juice
2 tablespoons lemon juice

Heat cherry juice to boiling in a saucepan. Mix Corn Starch with sugar to a paste with 1/4 cup cold water. Stir this into hot cherry juice over low heat for five minutes, stirring constantly. Add lemon juice; cook for one minute longer. Mould; chill thoroughly. Serve with whipped cream. (Six servings.)

During the reign of King Edward III, of England the iron pot and frying pans doing duty in the royal kitchens were classed as part of the crown jewels.

Luigi Pirandello, Italian playwright, wrote a play which was over 50, and won the \$50,000 Nobel Prize for literature after he had passed 75.

Vicar (beverecently): And what is your name, my little man?
Little boy: Well, if that ain't the limit. Why, it was you that christened me.

A Japanese delicacy, served only when favored guests are present, is bee rice, a concoction of wild bees cooked with rice.

Drama Festivals

Amateur Theatrical Groups Are Now Behaving Plays

Amateur theatrical groups in cities and towns across Canada have started on rehearsing plays to be presented at the regional festivals presiding the Dominion drama festival in London, Ont., next April.

Festival governors are considering appointment of an adjudicator for the regional competitions but have not yet made a choice. Mr. Colin Morley, English playwright and actor, did the work last year.

Preliminary competitions will start early in January and conclude in mid-March. The season will open in Kentville with the productions from Nova Scotia on Jan. 9 and 10. Prince Edward Island entries will be staged in Charlottetown Jan. 12-13 and the New Brunswick players will hold their festival in Saint John Jan. 16-18.

Dates of western regional festivals have been set for Saskatchewan Feb. 8-11 in Regina; British Columbia Feb. 15-18 in Victoria, and Alberta, Feb. 22-25 at Edmonton.

Approximately 62,000, or five per cent. of the population in Canada are operated by rural co-operative systems, in which there is a total investment of \$18,393,284.

The spoonbills gets its food by wading, and swinging its huge spoon-shaped bill from side to side through the mud and water as it advances.

Insects have blood of various hues; it may be red, green, yellow, or colorless.

The most disillusioning thing in this world is the realization that most of the people who give you good advice would profit themselves if you took it.

Buy Christmas Seals

This happy group of young boys are receiving tuberculosis. Those who show infection will be X-rayed.



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HOW THE MONEY IS SPENT...

- 1 In examining children and young adults who have been in contact with a case of tuberculosis.
- 1 In providing ELEVEN CLINICS for the early diagnosis of tuberculosis and for the examining of children and young adults who have been in contact with an active case of tuberculosis. The Clinics are located at PORT QUAPPEL, SASKATON and PRINCE ALBERT, Regina, Moose Jaw, Swift Current, North Battleford, Yorkton, Canada, Melfort and Tisdale.
- 1 In providing travelling clinics to assist physicians in the diagnosis of suspected cases in areas remote from the above stationary clinics.
- RESULTS...
- 1 The tuberculosis death rate in Saskatchewan has been cut in half during the past fifteen years among the white population. In fact, Saskatchewan has the lowest death-rate in the Dominion of Canada.
- 1 Tuberculosis infection among school children has been reduced by 75%.
- 1 Since the preventive programme was commenced in 1928 more than 80,000 persons, nearly all children and young adults, have been examined at the expense of the CHRISTMAS SEAL FUND.

WILL YOU HELP?...

- 1 Christmas Seals have been sent to nearly forty thousand homes in Saskatchewan and the Christmas Seal Committee is asking your support. If by any chance you have not received the seals, by communicating with Port San, Sask., a supply will immediately go forward to you.
- 1 Send in your gift of Health now so that it can be put to work at once.
- 1 Every stamp or seal put on a letter or parcel tells your friends and all who see it that you are alert of the suffering and are helping to prevent the sufferings of others.

OVERHEARD AT THE BRIDGE PARTY...

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| (1) Woman's Home Companion, 1 yr. | (1) Parents, 6 mos. |
| (1) Material Review, 1 yr. | (1) American Boy, 6 mos. |
| (1) Canadian Horticulture & Home Magazine, 1 yr. | (1) Christian Herald, 6 mos. |
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daw have gone to Los Angeles where they will spend the winter.

The United Church Sunday School will hold their Xmas. tree entertainment on Thursday evening, Dec. 22 in the church.

Mr. and Mrs. G. House of Arrow-are now at Vancouver visiting their daughter, Mrs. Telford. They expect to be away about a month.

The school concert will be held on Dec. 21. A two-hour program consisting of songs, recitations, plays, etc. by pupils of all the rooms. The proceeds will be used to secure material for the new courses.

During the past week Clifford Fleury has had a squad of carpenters, altering his residence. The second story has been removed and the house lengthened. In the spring he will stucco the outside and when the job is finished he will have the finest home on Prosperity Avenue.

The hunting season closed last Wednesday with many hunters taking advantage of the beautiful day for a last hunt. Some good bags were reported.

In spite of the fact that there are only six pupils attending, Living springs school a Xmas. concert and entertainment will take place on Thursday evening December 22. Everybody is welcome to attend.

Owing to the mild weather, snow progress has been made in making ice at the arena. When ever there is a little frost Oscar and Sam put a little water on the surface and hope eventually to have a first class sheet of ice.

Death occurred Friday at Eventide Home to George Sharpe, aged 64 years, a former resident of Tilley. Mr. Sharpe was born in the United States and had lived in Canada for the past 32 years. He had resided at the home for the past year. Saturday the remains were shipped to Halkirk for burial beside his wife who died some years ago. Deceased is survived by two sons and one daughter.

The government farm which adjoins the town and which Alex. McLean has operated for some years has been sold to Everett Home, Adl. Sutherland's bid for the farm being the successful one. The property will be run in connection with the Home.

Sunday the skating season got underway at least with the younger people. Some spent the afternoon on Susan's slough, a couple of miles south of town, while many others skated at the rink.

P. G. Thomas, president of the Southern Alberta Pioneers' Association with several members of the association attended the Old Times' round-up at Gleichen last Friday evening. The old timers of this district seem to be passing away, so much so, that there are not more than some 30 of the real old timers left. The entertainment was put on by the Gleichen Board of Trade, the Pioneers being their guests. The district for miles around attended the round-up, some 400 odd being present and had it not been bad roads in some districts, possibly 100 more would have been present. Mr. Thomas speaks very highly regarding the hospitality of the Gleichen citizens. He states that their money was of no use during their stay in Gleichen, they were wine and dined most freely.—High River Times.

Co-operative business organizations among farmers have been developed much more largely along marketing than purchasing lines in Canada. Co-operative organizations for purchasing have been developed in Europe to a much greater extent than on this continent. In marketing, Canada is regarded by well-informed authorities as holding a ranking position with the United States, in proportion to population, and with the exception of Denmark, as being well ahead of most European countries. In a recent study of the subject A. E. Richards, agricultural economist of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, analyzes the comparative figures, mostly 1935, for a group of eight countries and for the United States and Canada. From this analysis it appears that the number of farmers' marketing co-operative is much the largest in the United States but that Denmark leads in proportion to rural population. The United States has, according to these figures 3,660,000 members, France 847,086, Denmark 960,853 and Canada 286,885. This business transacted per member is not given for France, for Denmark it is

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GLEICHEN COMMUNITY HALL

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR CONTROL ACT OF ALBERTA

APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENSE

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, intend applying to the Alberta Liquor Control Board, for a License to sell Beer by the glass or open bottle, for consumption in conformity with the provisions of the Government Liquor Control Act of Alberta, and regulations made thereunder with respect to the following premises:

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which numbers of bathers were caught. In one rescue Scout Peck swam several hundred yards to save a young brother, Derek Peck, and another boy whom Derek had gone to assist when both were being carried out to sea.

TOWN OF GLEICHEN

W. J. PHYTHIAN,

Secy.-Treasurer.

Final WARNING is hereby given that all taxes, whether current or arrears will at once be collected by distraint if necessary.

All accounts for water more than 30 days in arrears must be paid immediately or service will be discontinued.

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